Abstract of Season or Intermediate Reports for the Week ending 22nd August 1885.

District.	Rain-fall at—	Inches.	Cents.	Prices of Food Grains per Rupee.	Markets how supplied.	State of Crops.	Prospects of Season.	Public Health.	Remarks.
Bangalore ...	Bangalore Cantonment.	..	...	Present week. Seers. Past week. Seers.	Well.	Standing crops generally withering, especially in the Dodballapur, Magadi and Kankanhalli Taluks. Ploughing and sowing operations at a standstill.	Uncertain. A season of drought is apprehended if rain holds off.	Generally good.	Drinking water and pasturage generally procurable, though scanty in parts. Cattle in fair condition, but murrain in some places.
	Bangalore Town.	...	...						
	Hoskote ...	...	...						
	Dodballapur ...	...	10	Rice 10 10.					
	Nelamangala ...	...	...	Ragi 26½ 26½.					
	Kankanhalli ...	...	10	Horse-gram 18½ 18½.					
	Magadi ...	...	...						
	Anekal ...	...	..						
	Closepet ...	...	...						
	Kunigal ...	...	...						
	Channapatna ...	...	...						
Kolar ...	Bowringpet ...	...	...	Rice 11 to 13 11 to 13.	Do	Crops withering. Tanks are still empty.	Uncertain.	Generally good.	Scarcity of drinking water in many places. Murrain in parts. Much difficulty in procuring fodder. Cattle look poor.
	Chintamani ...	...	15	Ragi 22 to 30 24 to 32.					
	Mulbagal ...	...	...	Horse-gram 18 to 24 18 to 30.					
	Sidlaghatta ...	...	...						
	Chikballapur ...	...	...						
	Goribidnur ...	...	55						
	Malur ...	...	6						
	Bagepalli ...	...	50						
	Devanhalli ...	...	25						
	Gudibanda ...	...	35						
	Srinivaspur ...	...	...						
	Kolar ...	...	...						
Tumkur ...	Tumkur ...	...	43	Rice 10½ to 13 10½ to 13.	Do	Standing crops in most parts fading from want of rain and in Maddagiri attacked by insects. Rain much needed. Ragi, ballar, horse-gram, sámé, &c, were sown.	Dependent on rain.	Good.	Pasturage and water-supply scanty. Cholam stalks and wild leaves are used for fodder. Murrain among cattle in parts.
	Maddagiri ...	...	48	Ragi 28 to 48 25 to 48.					
	Chiknayakanhalli.	...	25	Horse-gram 16 to 24 16 to 24.					
	Sira ...	...	...						
	Gubbi ...	...	...						
	Pavagada ...	...	...						
	Chitaldroog ...	...	38						
	Challakere ...	...	...						
	Holalkere ...	...	30						
	Hiriyur ...	...	...						
	Tiptur ...	..	...						
	Hanagal ...	...	...						
	Koratagere ...	...	..						
	Turuvekere ...	...	...						
	Jagalur ...	...	...						
	Hosdurga ...	...	...						
	Huliyar ...	...	...						
Mysore ...	Mysore ...	...	...	Rice 10 to 13 10 to 13.	Do	Standing crops generally withering or died away in many places. Ragi, avare, green and horse-gram were sown in a few villages of the Gundlupet Taluk. Jola, navané and yellu harvested in parts.	Uncertain.	Generally good; but fever and cholera prevalent in parts.	Scarcity of water in parts. Murrain among cattle in Gundlupet. Cattle in poor condition owing to scarcity of fodder.
	Hunsur ...	...	...	Ragi 20 to 30 20 to 30.					
	Yedatore ...	..	...	Horse-gram 16 to 30 17 to 28.					
	Heggaddevankote.	...	...						
	Gundlupet ...	...	...						
	Mandya ...	...	...						
	T. Narsipur ...	...	...						
	H. Narsipur ...	...	...						
	Attikuppa ...	..	...						
	Nagamangala ...	...	...						
	Channarayapatna								

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PART IV.

Official Papers.

Abstract of Season or Intermediate Reports for the Week ending 29th August 1885.

District.	Rain-fall at—	Inches.	Cents.	Price in seers per Rupee.	Markets how supplied.	State of Crops.	Prospects of Season.	Public Health.	Remarks.
Bangalore ...	Bangalore Cantonment.	...	4	Present week. Past week.	Well.	Standing crops reported to be withering in almost all parts of the District. Much anxiety exists as to whether the long expected rain will not disappoint. If in a few days there be rain-fall, as is now expected, matters will mend.	Critical.	Generally good.	Drinking water procurable generally though becoming scanty in parts. Pasturage reported to be failing. Cattle in poor condition in many Taluks. Cattle disease to a limited extent.
	Bangalore Town.	...	20	Seers. Seers.					
	Hoskote ...	...	...						
	Dodballapur ...	...	75	Rice 10 10.					
	Nelamangala ...	...	13	Ragi 26½ 26½.					
	Kankanhalli ...	...	...	Horse-gram 18 18½.					
	Magadi ...	...	70						
	Anekal ...	...	..						
	Closepet ...	...	...						
	Kunigal ...	...	70						
	Channapatna ...	...	...						
Kolar ...	Bowringpet ...	...	30	Rice 11 to 13 11 to 13.	Do	The usual season for sowing ragi and Kartika paddy has just passed away. Crops withering for want of rain. If rain holds out for a week or two, the standing young ragi crops will die away.	Discouraging.	Generally good, fever and small-pox prevail in parts.	Scarcity of drinking water is felt in several parts of the District. Cattle disease prevails in parts. Fodder has become scarce. Leaves of trees are used as provender for cattle. From Bowringpet and Srinivaspur Taluks, some ryots have removed some of their cattle to Her Majesty's Territories to find water and fodder.
	Chintamani ...	...	11	Ragi 24 to 32 22 to 30.					
	Mulbagal ...	...	...	Horse-gram 16 to 24 18 to 24.					
	Sidlaghatta ...	...	12						
	Chikballapur ...	...	10						
	Goribidnur ...	...	...						
	Malur ...	...	...						
	Bagepalli ...	...	...						
	Devanhalli ...	...	...						
	Gudibanda ...	...	15						
	Srinivaspur ...	...	..						
	Kolar ...	...	...						
Tumkur ...	Tumkur ...	...	84	Rice 10½ to 13 10½ to 13.	Do	The standing crops ragi, tuvar, ballar, navane, &c. are in need of rain. They are fading or drying in several places and are in Maddagiri injured by white ants. In Lokke of Chitaldroog Taluk crops have dried and therefore been removed. Green and black-gram and irrigated ragi as also javari were harvested to some extent.	Dependent upon rain.	Small-pox and fever in Tumkur and small-pox in Sira. Elsewhere good.	Fodder and water for cattle are scanty in several places. Date leaves are used. Foot and mouth fever prevails in parts of Chitaldroog Sub-Division.
	Maddagiri ...	...	10	Ragi 25 to 40 25 to 48.					
	Chiknayakanhalli.	...	68	Horse-gram 18 to 24 16 to 24.					
	Sira ...	...	9						
	Gubbi ...	...	11¼						
	Pavagada ...	...	...						
	Chitaldroog ...	...	2						
	Challakere ...	...	...						
	Holalkere ...	...	5						
	Hiriyur ...	...	10						
	Tiptur ...	..	...						
	Hanagal ...	...	...						
	Koratagere ...	...	..						